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1 IN THE SENATE BY THE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

2 CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 339

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act relating to nonresident big game
7 tags; and providing for an effective date."

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

9 * Section 1. AS 16.05.340(a)(9) is repealed and re-enacted to
10 read:

11 (9) Nonresident hunting and sport fishing
12 license 20

13 A nonresident may not take a big game animal unless he first
14 purchases a nonresident hunting license and a big game tag
15 under sec. 340 of this chapter for the fee prescribed in
16 (16) of this subsection.

17 * Sec. 2. AS 16.05.340(a)(16) is repealed and re-enacted to
18 read:

19 (16) Nonresident big game tags:
20 polar bear, each 150
21 walrus, each 100
22 brown or grizzly bear, each 100
23 bison, moose, or sheep, each 50
24 elk or goats, each 50
25 black bear or caribou, each 25
26 deer, each 10

27 * Sec. 3. AS 16.05.340(b) is repealed and re-enacted to read:
28 (b) The commissioner of fish and game may issue without
29 cost a permit to collect fish and game, subject to the limi-

1 tations and provisions he considers appropriate, for
2 scientific, propagative, or educational purposes. A tag
3 issued but not used for an animal may be used to satisfy the
4 tagging requirement for any other animal allowed to be taken
5 provided the tag fee is of equal or less value or the cumu-
6 lative value of unused tag fees is equal to or greater than
7 a higher value tag.

8 * Sec. 4. AS 16.05 is amended by adding a new section to read

9 Sec. 16.05.345. NONRESIDENT BIG GAME TAG. (a) A
10 nonresident big game tag shall be numbered and is not trans-
11 ferrable. The purchaser shall affix a copy of the tag to an
12 animal immediately upon taking and the tag must remain
13 affixed until the animal is prepared for storage, consumed
14 or exported.

15 (b) The fee paid for a nonresident big game tag shall
16 be refunded by the Department of Revenue if the purchaser
17 returns the unused tag to the department not later than 15
18 days after the date on which the tag expires. The depart-
19 ment shall collect from a purchaser an administrative
20 charge of \$3 for each tag for which a refund is made under
21 this subsection.

22 (c) After he has taken and tagged the big game animal
23 or animals to which he is entitled under the tag or tags
24 purchased, a nonresident hunter accompanied by a master or
25 licensed guide may take additional big game animals of any
26 species in accordance with the game regulations under (d)
27 and (e) of this section.

28 (d) A nonresident who takes additional big game animal
29 under (c) of this section must report the taking of the

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animal as soon as practicable to the commissioner of revenue or to a state employee or other person authorized by the commissioner to receive the report. A nonresident shall pay a fee for each additional big game animal which he takes under (c) of this section in accordance with the tag fee schedule under sec. 340(a)(16) of this chapter.

(e) The master or licensed guide accompanying a nonresident who takes an additional big game animal under (c) of this section shall report the taking of the animal to the Department of Fish and Game and to the Department of Revenue not later than 30 days after the animal is taken. The report shall contain the name of the nonresident, the nonresident's big game tag number, the species of the animal taken, the place of taking and other information required by regulation.

* Sec. 5. This Act takes effect January 1, 1967.